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Re: Application of Wolfgang LINKE
METHOD AND DEVICE FOR CONTROLLING A PRODUCTION UNIT
Assignee: **FOCKE & CO. (GmbH & CO.)**
Our Ref: Q90908

Dear Sir:

The following documents are submitted herewith in connection with the above application for the purpose of entering the National stage under 35 U.S.C. §371 and in accordance with the Patent Cooperation Treaty:

- ☒ a copy of the executed Declaration and Power of Attorney.
- ☒ an English translation of the International Application.
- ☒ 3 sheet(s) of drawings (Figs. 1-3).
- ☐ an English translation of Article 19 claim amendments.
- ☐ an English translation of Article 34 amendments (annexes to the IPER).
- ☒ a copy of the executed Assignment and PTO 1595 form.
- ☒ a copy of the ISR.
- ☒ Information Disclosure Statement w/German Search Report, English translation of German Search Report, Form PTO/SB/08 A & B and copies of cited references.
- ☐ a copy of the IPER.
- ☒ a PTO/SB/08 A & B (modified) listing the ISR/IPER references.
- ☐ a copy of each reference cited in the ISR/IPER.
- ☒ a Preliminary Amendment.

In addition to the documents submitted herewith, it is assumed that copies of the International Preliminary Examination Report, and any Articles 19 and 34 amendments as required by §371(c) will be supplied directly by the International Bureau, but if further copies are needed, the undersigned will undertake to provide them upon request.

It is expressly requested that the national stage of processing be commenced immediately in accordance with 35 U.S.C. § 371(f).

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Please see the attached **PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT** before calculating the filing fee.

The Government filing fee is calculated as follows:

Total claims	<u>23</u>	-	20	=	<u>3</u>	x	\$50.00	=	\$150.00
Independent claims	<u>2</u>	-	3	=	<u></u>	x	\$200.00	=	\$0.00
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Search Fee*									\$400.00
Examination Fee									\$200.00
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Recordation of Assignment									\$ 40.00
<u>TOTAL FEE</u>									<u>\$1090.00</u>

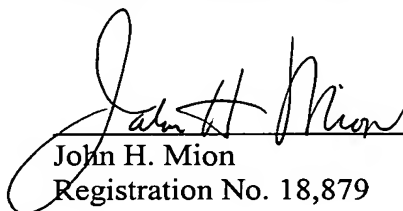
*The international search fee for all claims was not paid to the USPTO, as the ISA, but the ISR is being submitted herewith.

Checks for the statutory filing fee of \$1050.00 and Assignment recordation fee of \$40.00 are attached. The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account. A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is attached.

Priority is claimed from:

<u>Country</u>	<u>Application No</u>	<u>Filing Date</u>
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Respectfully submitted,


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